

LIFE WITHIN A BEE HIVE

Three Classes of Individuals in Each Colony, Each Having its Special Duties to Perform.

In the honey bee we find so many and such remarkable instincts that it seems to me impossible that they could have been acquired by the process of evolution.

Three kinds of individuals exist in a colony of bees—the queen, whose sole work is to lay eggs; the drones, or males, whose only function is to fertilize the queen, and the workers, which are females undeveloped sexually.

Only one queen is permitted to live in the colony at the same time, there being a mortal antipathy between the queens. The queen is continually guarded by a number of workers and her wants are carefully supplied. If two queens are in the same colony they enter combat, being urged by the workers, and fight till one stings the other to death.

When a young queen is ready to leave the cell in which she has been reared, she is not permitted to do so, but she is guarded by the workers until the old queen has abandoned the hive with a swarm, and then she is permitted to leave the cell. When the queen has fully matured in her cell the workers cut away the wax from the end of the cell till it is an exceedingly thin film.

If the colony is deprived of its queen, the workers, after searching in vain for her, set to work to rear a new queen. For this purpose they select a larva that would develop into a worker, remove some of the neighboring cells and construct for it a large vertical cell. By feeding this larva on royal jelly it becomes a queen.

If two queens during combat acquire a position in which they might destroy each other, thus leaving the hive without a queen, they refrain from giving each other the mortal stroke.

When the swarming season is over the old queen is permitted by the workers to sting to death all the queens that are in the cells.

If the queen loses both her antennae she is unable properly to deposit her eggs, and the workers permit her to perish.

At the close of the swarming season all of the drones are killed by the workers. They are no longer needed, for the old queen has already been fertilized, and new drones can be reared in the following spring. Thus food is saved for the use of those bees alone that will be of future use to the colony.

If they lose the queen when swarming they return to the hive they have left—seemingly to realize that their efforts would be fruitless without a queen. If the hive has no queen the drones are permitted to live through the winter.

When the drones are destroyed the larvae and pupa which would produce drones are also destroyed. If pressed for food, a colony will attack a weaker colony or a hive without a queen, and, if the attack is successful, the vanquished colony joins the conquerors, thus strengthening the hive.—Alfred Fairhurst, A.M., in "Organic Evolution Considered."

Admiration for Nerve.

"You admired that man because of his speech?"

"Yep," replied Farmer Cornstossel. "But you didn't agree with his opinions."

"Not as a rule. But it struck me that a man that could git up before a crowd o' people an' talk such a lot o' junk at the top of his voice had real grit."

No Time for Laziness.

A physician announces that he has discovered a serum that will cure laziness. The present cost of living is curing it fast enough.—Detroit Free Press.

Superfine Strategy.

"Strategy in war," explained the Irish military instructor, "is when ye don't let the inimy discover that the ammunition is run out, but just kape on firing."

When Wigs Were in Vogue.

During the latter part of the reign of Louis XIV of France for a man to wear his own hair or a small wig was almost an offense against good morals.

As to Eating.

Some men eat to live, some men live to eat, and some men eat merely for the pleasure they are going to have while smoking afterward.

Privilege of the Mighty.

Some men become so prominent and highly regarded that even their fish stories are received with respectful attention.—Washington Star.

Leaders in Concrete Construction. Chicago leads all other cities in concrete construction, with over 33 per cent. of the total. Seattle ranks second.

SPECIAL LINEN SALE

OUR LINEN DEPARTMENT is running over with many bargains in Domestic and Imported Linens in all the weaves—especially strong showing in Dress Linens, Art Linens, Table Linens, and Bed Linens—each and all pieces are tremendous bargains for

MONDAY, MARCH 18

FREE—We will give the following away—absolutely free—Be sure and **FREE** get your ticket with every \$1.00 purchase

1st Prize, 9x12 Wilton Rug	\$30.00	7th Prize Large, Handsome 8-Day Clock	8.00
2nd " Cathedral Gong Clock	12.00	8th " " " " " "	8.00
3rd " Cowhide Leather-lined Traveling Bag	10.00	9th " " " " " "	8.00
4th " " " " " "	8.00	10th " " " " " "	8.00
5th " Large, Handsome 8-Day Clock	8.00	11th " Cowhide, Leather-lined Traveling Bag	6.00
6th " " " " " "	8.00	12th " Ladies' or Gentlemen's Silk Umbrella	5.00



VICTOR

Now is the time to get one of the latest improved Victor Talking Machines on a small payment down and \$1.00 a week.

FURNITURE

Our line of Furniture is complete. See what special values we are offering for Monday—and on easy weekly payments of **\$1.00**

10c — 10c

See our special 10c Window Monday Dozens of articles of all kinds Values up to 25c. For Monday **10c**

\$1.35 Rocking Chair, 98c

This exceptional value in a genuine Fibre Bottom Oak Rocking Chair. Monday special **98c**

40c Window Shades, 25c

A good value for 40c in white, green, ecru, genuine opaque window shades. Monday each **25c**

SHOES

Our Shoe Department is now complete with the Season's most popular and fashion's latest dictations in Ladies' Misses' and Children's Pumps and Oxfords. See our large assortment of Men's Oxfords "union made." Highest quality, prices the lowest.

36-in. Sheer Linen

This is a Sheer quality, all Linen Lawn, of a good, even thread—a splendid value for 48c. Our price **37c**

ANOTHER great value in all Linen Lawn, a beautiful material to make a lasting Shirtwaist out of. Monday a yard **49c**

YARD WIDE "warranted pure Linen," natural color, heavy and firm weight, a ready seller at 40c yard. Special only **31c**

2½ YARD WIDE Linen Sheeting, worth \$1.00 a yd. for Monday's sale a yard **71c**

JUST ARRIVED—this special value in a Butcher's linen, 36 in. wide, of a firm weave and heavy weight 35c quality. Our price Monday **29c**

MONDAY SPECIAL

Only 1-piece natural color Linen 27-in. wide a good value for 18c a yd. For Monday only a leader at **10c**

EXTRA FINE LINEN

This is an extra fine quality, pure Linen Cambric Lawn, well worth and a ready seller at 80c a yard. Our special price **69c**

36-in. LINEN SUITING, 29c.

We have it now for Monday's sale a splendid Linen Crash Suiting. Just the material that is wanted now. Monday a yard **29c**

SPECIAL NOTICE

Only two gross genuine "Air Float" Talcum Powder in the most popular odors for Monday only. On sale at 9 o'clock. A can only **7c**

SILKS

See this special new showing of all Silk Messalines in black, white and colors in 36-in. width. Special a yard **98c**

35c SPRING BEAUTIES, 25c

It is most truly said this line of Shimmer Silk is certainly spring beauties in all the dainty patterns. On sale Monday a yard **25c**

12½c DRESS GINGHAMS 9½c

A large selection of Amoskeag Dress Ginghams, entirely new patterns for Spring. Have just arrived and will be placed on sale Monday at **9½c**

10c AMOSKEAG STAPLES 7½c

Now is the time to select an apron from this choice line of Amoskeag Apron Ginghams. Fast colors, our special price a yard **7½c**

48-in. LINEN CRASH, 49c

Nothing nicer for fancy work, Skirts or Coat Suits than this wide Linen Crash Suiting, a yard **49c**



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For the boys and girls. See this splendid line of Stockings Monday

Men's Specials

Uncle Sam Work Shirts

In all sizes, Genuine "Blue Belle" Chambray an extra value for 50c. Our price each **43 Cents**

MEN'S DRESS SHIRTS, in all sizes, good values up to 75c. Our special price only **45c**

MEN'S TIES in light and dark Patterns, values up to 50c. Our price Monday only **25c**

50c ELASTIC SEAM Drawers in all sizes, our special price per pair **39c**

STRAW HATS

The Season is now here for Straw Hats. See our large assortment of Men's Panama Hats. Also men's and boy's Stiff Brim Yacht Shape Straw Hats.

Special line of Soft Brim Hats. Special prices Monday **49c, 98c, \$1.39, \$2.69**

Tailored Suits

Easter will soon be here. Now is the time to select a "Royal Tailored" Suit, strictly hand-made, to your own measure, the suit of satisfaction—prices the lowest.

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EVEN THE GATE POST NOT IN IT

A Chiel Is Among Ye Taking Notes and Faith, He'll Prent 'Em"—So Says Saunterer.

The Modern Blacksmith

Under a costly canopy
The village blacksmith sits,
Before him is a touring car,
Broken to little bits.
And the owner and the chauffeur, too,
Have almost lost their wits.

The village blacksmith smiles with glee
As he lights his fat cigar,
He tells his helper what to do
To straighten up the car,
And the owner and the chauffeur, too,
Stand humbly where they are.

The village blacksmith puffs his weed
And smiles a smile of cheer,
And while his helpers pump the tires
And monkey with the gear,
The owner and the chauffeur, too,
Stand reverently near.

Behind the village blacksmith is
The portals of his shop,
The shop is very large in size,
With a tiled roof on top,
And the owner and the chauffeur, too,
At it, were glad to stop.

The children going home from school
Look in at the open door,
They like to see him make his bills
And hear the owners roar,
And the chauffeurs weep as they declare
They ne'er paid that before.

He goes each morning to the bank
And salts away his cash,
A high silk hat and long frock coat
Help him to cut a dash,
But the owner and the chauffeur, too,
Their teeth all vainly gnash.

The chestnut tree long since has died,
The smith does not repine
His humble shop has grown into
A building big and fine,
And it bears "Garage" above the door
On a huge electric sign.

¶ I see my old friend Judge Stringfellow is again a candidate for Judge of the Sanford Court and I would like to inform him that being Leap Year he might profit by the example of the County Judge of St. Johns.

County Judge M. R. Cooper offers to provide a license free and to perform the ceremony free, providing the young lady in each case makes affidavit that she popped the question. Marriages haven't been so very many lately and Judge Cooper isn't going to let it be his fault if Leap Year goes by unheeded. And worst of all for the marriageable youths who are holding off, Judge Cooper says, if a young lady will make affidavit that she asked and was refused, he will give the hard-hearted suitor thirty days at hard labor on the roads, because he considers it a misdemeanor to thus violate the unwritten laws of tradition and custom.

And so it is entirely up to the girls, and the boys had best be careful.
Judge Cooper's is good.

¶ Sometimes in my wanderings around the city I happen to get in a crowd of young men congregated at one place or another and sometimes I hear talk that does not sound well. The young men are hardly aware of how it should appear to them if carried to their own homes and idle chatter can make a lot of mischief.

Remember this, young man. Be careful of how you speak of a woman's character. Think of how many years she has been building it, of the toil and privations endured, of the wounds received and let no suspicion follow her actions.

Her purity is the salvation of the race, the hope of future greatness and redemption of man. Wipe out her purity and man sinks below the wave of despair, with not a star to guide his life into the channels of safety.

Think then before you speak. Remember that any hog can root up the fairest flower that ever grew. So, the vilest man can ruin the purest woman's reputation.

¶ Sitting in Wise's Restaurant the other day I caught the following:

Two persons, a man and a woman—both evidently strangers, however—sat near me. She was a vegetarian, and glancing at his plate, took occasion to warn him against 'making a graveyard of his stomach.'

"But," protested the man, smiling politely, 'I seldom eat meat.'

"You have ordered eggs," she said tartly, 'and an egg is practically the same as meat. It eventually becomes a chicken.'

"The kind of eggs I eat never become chickens," remarked the stranger quietly.

"Impossible," she exclaimed. 'What kind of eggs do you eat?'

"Boiled eggs," replied the stranger.

¶ Seeing a bevy of young girls in the store of J. D. Roberts the other day I went in to inquire the reason and before I knew it they had surrounded me and

induced me to purchase some cakes and pies and other delicious things they had on sale. They were the Helping Hands and say those girls were enough to help a man into Paradise they were so sweet. Inquiring further I learned that they would put on these sales regular for the benefit of their society and every one ought to help them. The Helping Hand Society was organized by Mrs. Susje Bouchelle Wight of this city, one of the broadest minded and most intellectual woman in Florida and I make this statement because I have known her for many years and her work has not been confined to Sanford alone. Mrs. Wight practices what she preaches and the Helping Hand Society will be a lasting monument to her memory. The young ladies are doing a wonderful lot of good in our community and are living up to their name in every particular.

Help the Helping Hands. They are the real article.

¶ Several times have I spoken about reckless driving of automobiles at night and the utter disregard of the auto drivers for the horse and buggy. The other night Dr. Robson had his horse injured and his buggy torn up by one of them. The Doctor was attending a patient and had his horse hitched on the street when a young driver dashes around the corner and rams into the rig smashing up everything and putting the horse out of commission for several weeks.

The mayor and city council will have to pass an ordinance that covers all kinds of vehicles just as they have in Orlando—one that restricts all kinds of vehicles to certain sides of the streets and specifies that every mode of conveyance shall carry a light and none but a licensed chauffeur shall operate a car after night.

The Florida Gardens Co.

To the Citizens of Sanford and the Celery Delta
The organization of the Florida Gardens Company to take over the larger part of the now famous "Sanford Celery Delta" for the purpose of clearing, tiling and cultivating them on a larger scale is fully warranted by the experience of the past fifteen years and is the logical solution of present conditions.

Since the first crude sub-irrigation, installed in the fall of 1897, it has been evident to all thoughtful persons that in this favored locality the possibilities of great profits were practically certain, with anything like intelligent and economical management, and the extent to which development might reach almost limitless.

The proof of this surrounds us on every hand, where scores of men have accumulated an independence, and some grown wealthy, less than ten years ago were working for wages or small salaries. It is the boast of many of these men that they started with nothing and had to learn the business besides. Yet, because of a shortsighted policy, the newcomer is warned not to undertake the same thing through which they have grown rich. The would-be purchaser is warned that the past two years were poor years, meaning poor prices, but one of them boasts of making five thousand dollars upon four and one-half acres in a single winter season, besides growing feed enough for his stock in the summer. The general incomes during these years would stagger the farmers in the states to the north of us, while the incomes this year almost exceed belief, even when the proof is submitted. However, "Florida Gardens" do not base their estimates upon these figures, easy of proof as they are. We only claim that, as a basis of safe investment, our improved farms must pay a dividend on \$500 per acre net, and taxes. The average Delta farmer would not plant a crop unless he expected to make ten times as much. The average corn crop would pay the dividend at present prices, and leave the land from October to April for vegetables. Present prices are higher than ever before and many acres of celery have paid 300 per cent on \$500 instead of 7 per cent.

The Sanford Celery Delta can and will support 25,000 to 40,000 population in affluence. For seventeen years I had hoped and labored to this end, and I am gratified when I ride through this incomparable section today upon street cars, where seventeen years ago the writer was the sole inhabitant. This is much to be grateful for, but the good work is only fairly begun and must not be balked by timid souls. With one or two exceptions every one looked upon the writer as a wild dreamer then—they do not now. The sleepless effort for six years past, with the other Sanford gentlemen associated with me in "Florida Gardens" has been to have a farm and a home upon every ten acres, more or less of irrigable lands. To this end I have cut and named roads and dug ditches, made maps and plats, have written and talked much at home and abroad. Not one word that I have spoken or written would I retract, and no statement would I even qualify, but would take pains to prove its utmost

truth, and the truth would be such as to convince the most skeptical.

Believing that the time has arrived to go forward on other lines, rather than halt because the reactionary merchant and farmer alike dread competition, I have accepted the presidency of "Florida Gardens" and I shall use my best effort to promote its success, believing that by so doing I shall forward the best interests of Sanford and the entire Celery Delta.

Should any of my neighbors feel offended at my frankness in thus explaining the reason for this Company and my connection with it, I would suggest that you think a little before you express adverse criticism, remembering my past years of service, for which I ask no reward or even recognition.

J. N. WHITNER.

Knights Elect Officers

At the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias meeting held at Tampa last week. Kissimmee was chosen for the next meeting place. The following officers were elected:

- Grand chancellor, Hilton S. Hampton, Tampa.
- Vice grand chancellor, W. J. Sears, Kissimmee.
- Grand prelate, Robert E. Davis, Gainesville.
- Grand keeper of records and seals, W. H. Latimer, Eustis, re-elected.
- Grand master of exchequer, William C. West, Jacksonville; re-elected.
- Grand master at arms, Scott M. Loftin, Pensacola.
- Grand inner guard, Ernest P. Roberts, Key West.
- Grand outer guard, N. P. Yowell, Orlando.

The Grand Temple, Pythian Sisters of Florida, elected officers for the coming year before adjournment and selected Kissimmee as the place for holding the session of 1913. Officers elected are as follows:

- Past grand chief, Mrs. Millie Long, Pensacola; grand chief, Mrs. Sarah Straub, St. Petersburg; grand senior, Mrs. Canna, Jacksonville; grand manager, Mrs. Curry, Key West; grand M. of R. C., Mrs. Hattie Von Rosen, Sanford; grand protector, Mrs. Collins, Milton; grand guard, Mrs. Donivan, Kissimmee.



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FOR
STATE SENATOR



He is of the common people and knows their legislative needs.
He is a large taxpayer and will work for tax reform.
Osceola County is entitled to name the Senator this time and
DONEGAN is Osceola's candidate.

About Corn Planting

BY A. P. SPENCER

Many farmers plant more seed per acre than they expect will grow, because they know part of it will not germinate, and look forward to thinning out and replanting if necessary.

Seed corn of low germination will not give an even stand. Hence the vacant hills in many fields. It is best to avoid planting moldy or weevil eaten seed. One can select for seed heavy, well ripened ears of the type that has best suited the locality. Then the butts and tips are shelled off and only the grain from the middle of the ears planted.

Ten per cent. of vacant hills will lower the yield from two to five bushels per acre. This applied to the corn crop of the entire state may be estimated at more than one million bushels loss on the 1912 crop of corn.

The seed should not be planted until the soil is well prepared. The whole field should be broken deeply and well worked. Much of the hoeing and weeding can be avoided by thorough cultivation before the seed is planted. Some moisture will be lost when it is most needed, and there will be an uneven distribution of the applied fertilizer if the soil is not thoroughly prepared.

Scatter the fertilizer broadcast. The corn grows roots ten or more feet, and spread across from row to row. Cover the seed about four inches.

One cannot get the maximum yield of corn from well prepared soil that has been properly fertilized, if the rows are too far apart. The rows should be set four feet apart, with one stalk every twelve inches in the row. This will give 10,890 plants per acre. Planting five feet apart and 15 inches or more in the row, a common practice, gives 7,200 or fewer plants per acre. If the crop is frequently cultivated during its growth, and the soil well prepared as suggested above, there will not be much likelihood of "firing." With more than 50 per cent. more plants we may usually expect a nearly corresponding increase in bushels of corn per acre.

Many bushels of corn are lost each year by too deep cultivation during the growing season. Every root cut off by a deep cultivator or plow injures the plant. The loss of multitudes of fibrous roots at each of three or four deep plowings is very injurious to the crop, and results in a lower yield.

The weeder should start just as the corn is first coming through the ground. It will help the seedling plants to get through, and prevent the evaporation of some tons of moisture from the soil. The use of the weeder should be continued once a week or oftener, and especially after each rain, until the crop is too high for its use. This not only saves the moisture for the crop's need, but destroys the weeds immediately they appear above the ground. One man with a mule and weeder can cultivate 10 or 12 acres of corn a day, doing better and at less expense than would be done by men with hoes.

It is a good policy to "lay by" the corn crop. It is better to keep the weeder going as long as possible, and then cultivate between the rows with a shallow working cultivator until the crop is about matured.

When the crop of corn is about matured, weeds or beggarweed may be planted between the rows. These are soil improving crops. They prevent the soil leaching, and add fertility and humus to benefit the succeeding crops, besides furnishing good forage for live stock.

There is usually a shortage of seed corn and consequently a demand for it just at planting time. This often necessitates planting the best which happens to be on hand, good or bad.

Every farmer should prepare now to grow his seed for next year's crop. For this, one-half an acre or more of the most fertile soil should be selected, some distance from the main crop. If the seed plot is too close to the main crop, cross-pollination will occur, and the seed may be no better than good average seed from the main crop, as pollen is often carried twenty rods or more by the wind. Secure the best available seed for this plot from a reliable farmer or seedsman; or if none suitable can be purchased, select the best ears on hand (one gallon of shelled corn will be sufficient for half an acre) to secure a uniform type suitable to the soil and locality.

City Council Meets

City council met in regular session Mar. 18th at 7:30 p. m. Present—T. J. Miller, president; Geo. Fox, Jr., P. M. Elder, F. L. Woodruff, B. W. Herndon, W. H. Underwood and W. S. Hand. Minutes of the last meeting read and approved.

The fire company reported that they had tested part of the hose and one section had burst.

The clerk was instructed to notify the Water Company that they must comply with the resolution of April 7th, 1911, to flush the hydrants once in two weeks and report to the clerk in writing.

On motion council adjourned. M. W. Lovell, Clerk.

Sir Walter Raleigh's Pipe.

A pipe with a history is to be offered for sale in London. It was once the property of Sir Walter Raleigh and is not unlike the better "Y" in shape and for centuries now has had its home in an ancient inland box dated Anno 1627. It is constructed in four pieces of wood, rudely carved with dogs heads and with the faces of red Indians.

On the bowl there is a cap about as large as the bowl itself, and attached to the stem is a string of beads made of the same wood as the pipe. In this stem a powerful whistle has been cut, and the suggestion is that Sir Walter Raleigh used it to summon his servants.

The Archaeological Society exhibited it at the Guildhall in the '50s of the last century, the inscription accompanying it bearing these words: "The original pipe of the above celebrated Historian of the World, and who first introduced tobacco and potatoes into England. Tradition corroborated by a parchment in the possession of the owner states that this pipe was used by Sir Walter Raleigh on the scaffold just previous to his execution and handed to one of his relatives as a memento of him."—London Telegraph.

Gold Revealed by Dream.

Wyo Mills, a small village in Talbot county, Md., is excited over the realization of a dream of buried treasure. Some gold has been found and with it directions for digging for more. The dream came to Rachel Stansbury, a colored woman at her home in Philadelphia, and was followed, she declares, by a visitation from her dead uncle, John Scott, who urged her to act upon the hint.

She and her uncle, Emery Stansbury, went to the spot described in the dream near their old home at Wyo Mills, and began digging. Three feet under the surface they found a box containing three gold tokens of irregular shape, each about the size of a silver quarter. In the box was a paper, falling to pieces from age in which was written "More money buried here deeper down. Dig fast and get it."

Stansbury and his wife are doing their best to "dig fast" and want help but the negroes of the neighborhood are superstitious and will not approach the place.

Ancients' New War Bonnet.

The Ancients have decided to substitute for their helmet a cap of Geyman pattern. A move for lightening equipment is general throughout the military world. Boston Record.

Doctors' Privileges.

In the year 1613 the city of London contained only thirteen surgeons and doctors all told. They were exempt from serving on juries and from bearing arms in time of war.

HEAR THEM AT METHODIST CHURCH MAY 26



The greatest event of the church year in Humlin was a great revival which closed four weeks ago last Sunday. Rev. J. M. Bass and Prof. O. W. Stapleton, of Macon, Ga., came to us and spent two and a half weeks preaching and singing and leading in such a revival as had never been seen here before. Hundreds of people were converted or reclaimed, and 138 names were given for membership in the churches of the town.

I think Brothers Bass and Stapleton by far the best all-round evangelistic team it has been my privilege to labor with. They do not hold the meeting; they help the pastor to do so. Their coming to us has proven an unspeakable blessing to me and to our church in this section. I did not write this immediately on the close of the meeting, but waited a month to allow my enthusiasm to cool, and I can say that it was one of the most remarkable meetings I have ever seen in a ministry of twenty years.—W. H. Terry, P. C. in Texas Advocate.

LODGE NOTES

SANFORD LODGES

Sanford Lodge No. 27, I. O. O. F.

Meets every Monday at 7:30 p. m. over Imperial Theatre. J. C. Hall, Sec'y.

Reminiscence Chapter No. 2, Order Eastern Star

Meets every second and fourth Friday in month. Every one who has seen his Star in the East are cordially invited to visit the chapter. ALICE E. ROBINSON, Sec'y.

F. O. E. Celery City Aerie 1853

Meets first and third Tuesday in every month. Hall in Wellborne Block, third floor.

Phoenix Lodge No. 5, K. of P.

Meets second and fourth Mondays. Visiting knights always welcome. P. E. Hutchinson, C. C. Felix S. Frank, R. K. and S.

Sanford Lodge, No. 62, F. & A. M.

H. E. Tolar, Master, M. W. Lovell, Secretary. Communication every first and third Thursday at 7:30 p. m. Visiting brothers welcome.

Unite Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America

Sanford Local Union No. 1731, U. B. of C. and J. of A. meets every Thursday night at 7 o'clock in the Eagles' Hall. J. W. O. Singletary, president. Geo. Blackwelder, R. S. & I.

R. P. O. E. Sanford Lodge 1241

Meets first and third Wednesday night, corner East and Elm streets. W. D. H. G. Sec'y.

EDUCATION

The Local Order of Moose, meets every Friday evening at 8:00 P. M. in Eagles Hall, Wellborne Block. Albert Smith, Secretary. R. H. G. Sec'y.

Monroe Chapter No. 15, R. A. M.

Meets every second and fourth Thursday in Masonic Hall over Imperial Theatre. Visiting companions welcome. A. W. King, High Priest. W. E. Hoochholder, Sec'y.

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The First Installment Will Appear Soon Watch for It

To The Democratic Voters Of the 19th Senatorial District

The Democratic Executive Committee of Orange County has put the Senatorial claims in the proper light in the resolutions printed below. It will not endorse any candidate who must be voted for by you. In this the Committee is right. Enforcement of such candidates is your business exclusively. Ask your careful consideration and if you think I can best serve the district, re-nominate me.

Yours respectfully

LOUIS G. MASSEY

Resolutions of Democratic Executive Committee of Orange County

WHEREAS, on January 20, 1912, the Democratic Executive Committee of Osceola County, by resolution, called to the attention of the good Democrats of Orange County an alleged agreement or custom of dividing the Senatorship of the 19th District equally between the two counties, and expressed the belief that the patriots of Orange county democracy would not suffer this cause to be broken at the present time and then proceeded to endorse a candidate for Senator. Therefore, be it

RESOLVED, by the Democratic Executive Committee of Orange County, assembled February 17, 1912

1. That this committee knows of no agreement or custom by any competent authority by which the terms of the senators from this district must be equally divided between Orange and Osceola counties. The equal term given to the last senator from Osceola county was because of the services and record of Senator C. A. Carson and, being personal to him, is not to be construed as an admission by the Orange County democracy that the senatorial terms are to alternate equally without regard to the merits of the candidates.

2. That in the opinion of this committee, the democratic voters of the 19th district should elect their senator according to their estimate of the fitness of the respective candidates.

3. That the democratic voters of the district will nominate a candidate for Senator in a primary held in this county regardless of place of residence under the auspices of this committee, which is the judge of the returns in this county. It would therefore, be improper for this committee, under such circumstances, to endorse any candidate.

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The Pensacola Journal places the Herald in the Times-Union class because we are supporting Harmon. Hope Mr. Harrison doesn't feel bad.

What a relief it is to all who have been paying \$7 a cord for wood; \$1 for fourteen pounds of sugar; \$7 a barrel for flour; 45 to 60 cents a pound for butter and so on ad infinitum, that some one has discovered the South Pole.

Dr. Wiley has resigned from the chemistry department of the Department of Agriculture because the enemies of pure food would not stand for him. But the Doctor will take a shot at them as editor of the big magazines and we can look for some very interesting reading later on.

It may be the governor of Florida has helped matters by going to Washington, D. C. and buying in on the Everglades controversy with Senator Clark and Secretary Wilson, but we doubt it very much.—Eustis Lake Region.

We await the decision of "Senator" Clark.

The Sanford Herald has purchased a new linotype and it is apparent that Editor Holly is much puffed up with pride. As soon as the railroad company gets through manhandling the machine Holly has his plans laid to take a bath, obtain a freshly laundered collar, borrow a bright new string tie and two bits' worth of fine-cut—and jes' have a high old time, no matter what it cost.—Thon in Palm Beach County.

STAND BY THE EXCHANGE Manager Temple of the Citrus Exchange has retired to his Orange county home after his strenuous duties and announces that he is tired and disgusted at the lack of appreciation evinced by the majority of the growers who, while they recognize the value of the Exchange and expect to realize a benefit from it indirectly would stand on the outside and want the Exchange to hold the umbrella over them.

We can sympathize with Mr. Temple. His lot has been cast, like the newspaper man's, in queer places and where no sympathy or credit is ever given.

Our own exchange, the Florida Vegetable Association is going through the same trying ordeal—that of attempting to convince the grower that he ought to be saved when the grower has known the truth of the situation for the past five years. Working with a ceaseless energy and activity, without compensation, the heads of the Association have labored long and earnestly with the people of this section to convince them that in unity was their only salvation.

The truth has been driven home to them time and again. They realize it and know it but persist in standing in the rain and wanting the Exchange umbrella held over them and refuse to pay rent for the umbrella.

Keep at it, gentlemen! Nothing was ever accomplished in the world that was won without trials and tribulations, and The Herald will be your ally at the dawn of your prosperity, and success, just as it was in your first days of struggle; and the day of your success is not far distant, for, the most virile scuffer will admit that the Florida Vegetable Growers' Association has already saved the day for the growers in many ways, too numerous to mention.

The Exchange has come to stay, and the season of 1912 will witness a stronger following than ever arrayed on their side. They are too strong now to even hint at failure, and though wearied by their labors, the leaders will not desert in the hour of triumph, when greater things are expected of them.

"They gotta quit kickin' our dawg aroun'."

FOR A PUBLICITY FUND The new city charter, grants the city Council the right to create an advertising fund. The city taxes this year will be well over the three million mark, and a tax of say one mill and a half would create a fine advertising fund, and one commensurate with the needs of a growing city.

In the past the work of the Commercial Club and the old Board of Trade was most arduous and humiliating, involving, as it did, the abject begging from door to door,

for a miserable pittance for advertising purposes. Those who owned the bulk of the property in Sanford were usually the ones who gave the least, and the burden fell each year upon the shoulders least able to carry it. The creation of an advertising fund should solve a question at once the most vexatious, and yet the most important that confronts the people today.

Without further advertising we can never get the capitalist here to invest his money here in new hotels, factories, stores and buildings.

Without advertising you can never get new people to come here to spend the winter, and, incidentally, to buy property and live here.

Without advertising the City of Sanford will never be anything except a small place upon the map; known as the place where they raise celery. Advertising has made the city what it is today; but, without a continuance of the same fertilizer, the city will certainly languish and die.

The old system of soliciting funds from each individual, and expecting a few chosen ones to do it all, is obsolete; and will not fill the needs of the present day.

Every person who owns property in Sanford today should contribute something each year toward advertising the city. It will benefit each and every tax-payer, for instance, increase the value of Sanford property will benefit all alike.

Advertising is a safe and sound investment, that, properly applied, will give better returns than any money that the city can place.

It behooves the people to look into this matter thoroughly, and express their opinion upon it openly and freely. It is a question that concerns most deeply the future welfare of our city; and, if you are in favor of an Advertising Fund, let your public servants know it, for, in a few weeks the city council will make up their yearly budget, and the advertising fund should be embodied in the budget.

NOW FOR THE EVERGLADES All this Everglades talk has been most confusing to the average reader and the main issue indulged in by the contestants for Frank Clark's seat in Congress seems to be aimed at that gentleman because he demanded an investigation of the Everglades.

Frank Clark for two weeks has been assailed and smote hip and thigh by the opposition papers because he would not leave the investigation at Washington and come down here to hicker with Hilburn and Burr. They said he was afraid to meet these gentlemen and face the 1032 charges that they had made against him. He finally left Washington came to Florida and has opened his campaign and now these same papers cry that he is neglecting his duties by coming to Florida and explaining his position regarding the Everglades.

This question will certainly be well threshed out before the campaign is ended and the point made by Clark in the beginning will be made apparent, viz.

That the Everglades drainage is feasible and is a good project if fostered and protected by the state of Florida.

If however it is allowed to fall into the hands of the land fakirs and false claims made to sell the land, these claims should be investigated and made public, which is now being done.

Bothrick of Ohio was forced to start an investigation because hundreds of his constituents had been bamboozled by fake land sales in the Everglades.

The Everglades when drained will be all right. The same can be said of the greater part of Florida. The Everglades are no gold mine just turned over for the inspection of the public. The drainage idea for Florida lands dates back hundreds of years and there is no reason why the Everglades and the whole state of Florida should not be investigated if a single man has been swindled. Let the investigation proceed and let Frank Clark tell about it and let his opponents tell their side of the story.

The tale will be a rare one and all of will feel better when the matter has been sifted to the bottom and Frank Clark will not be defeated simply because he wants the public to know the truth about the operation of land sharks in the Everglades lands.

Lay on Mac Duff!

B. L. HEARN OF ATLANTA, GA. has arranged for Sanford Banks to pay shippers of Florida products to B. L. Hearn & Co., of that city. References exchanged.

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MAKING MONEY WITH GAS

Up-to-Date Equipment Installed in New Melting House of British Mint.

Four tons of gold will on an average be melted down each working day in the wonderful new melting house now being completed for service next year at the royal mint, near the Tower of London.

The new melting house will be the most complete in the world. It is much larger than the existing one, and is to contain, ten furnaces, all heated by gas. The present melting house has only four such furnaces. Gas furnaces alone are now used at the royal mint for the melting down of precious metal, coke furnaces having been finally banished in March last. No less an amount than £80,000,000 worth of gold has been melted down by gas since the special furnaces were introduced.

Many experiments were carried out before gas was accepted as the best medium for the melting. In connection with the tests Mr. Rigg, the superintendent of the operative department, paid a number of visits to factories in London and the country and made a tour in Canada and the United States with the object of obtaining evidence as to the value of gas as a fuel. At length a special type of furnace was designed by officials at the mint, and a gas burner made by Mr. S. N. Brayslow, of Manchester, was adopted.

Ordinary gas is taken from the street main for the melting; and mixed with air from a powerful blowing engine. It is found that by the use of gas the crucibles for the gold last longer than they did when coke was employed, each crucible enduring eighteen heatings under gas as against twelve under coke. In addition, the cost is less, having been reduced from 7d. to 5d. for each hundred weight of gold melted.—London Mail.

BYRON HAD LITERARY AGENT

Author's Representative Not New Invention for the Torment of Publishers.

Much has been written lately about literary agents, as if they were a new invention of the Evil One for the torment of publishers. But in looking over Byron's letters the following one shows clearly enough that the first John Murray, who published for Byron, had to cope with authors' representatives just as the third and fourth John Murrays do today—and, by the way, John Murray IV, who is an active and pleasing young man, is taking more and more of the burden of his father's business. Here is Byron's letter to John I.:

"Can't accept your courteous offer. These matters must be arranged with Mr. Douglas Kinnaird. He is my trustee and a man of honor. To him you can state all your mercantile reasons, which you might not like to state to me personally, such as 'heavy season,' 'flat public,' 'don't go off,' 'lordship writes too much,' 'won't take advice,' 'declining popularity,' 'deduction for the trade,' 'make very little,' 'generally lose by him,' 'pirated edition,' 'foreign edition,' 'severe criticisms,' etc., with other hints and bowls for an oration, which I leave Douglas, who is an orator, to answer.

"23d August, 1821." Apparently the song of the publisher to the author was exactly the same almost a century ago as it is today.

Plain Evidence. "I bought some wine the other day, and I astonished the clerk who waited on me by telling him I noticed he was a spiritualist."

"What made you observe that?" "Because when he prepared the bottle for me, I noticed he was engaged in spirit wrapping."—Baltimore American.

Brown Bread Sandwiches. Take grated tart raw apple, mix with cream cheese and season with salt and pepper. Spread between thin slices of brown bread.

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BACKSLID, BUT HE WAS GAME

Smith's Sacrifice in Fond Hope of Keeping Wife From Knowledge of His Misdeeds.

Miss Mary Scott Lawson of the National Woman Suffrage association denied at a luncheon in New York that the suffrage in the west was tending to destroy the home.

"No, no," she said. "Look at the suffrage states—how close together they lie. Well, do you think the men of Colorado would have given their women the vote if the vote's effect in Wyoming had been ruinous?"

"Wrong will out, you know. Wyoming, if she had trouble, couldn't conceal it. If we do wrong, we are sure, despite our efforts, to be discovered and punished. It is like the case of Smith.

"Smith one New Year's day spent the time from luncheon to dinner in thinking up and entering in his diary a set of resolutions. He made something like fifty resolutions. What a rosy year lay before him if he only observed them all—and he knew he would!

"But Brown called, after dinner, to take Smith to the club, and from the club poor, weak, unstable Smith didn't return till—think of it!—till six in the morning.

"Jaded and stale, he took off his boots on the icy marble doorstep, he let himself in softly and he stole in silence upstairs to bed.

"His wife slept. He began to undress; but in unbuttoning his collar he made a crackling sound, and she stirred, and, looking at him in the dim light, she said:

"Why, what are you doing, George?"

"He remembered the pride she had shown in his fifty resolutions; he hadn't the heart to reveal the truth to her; so he said:

"I'm getting up."

"But what are you getting up so early for?"

"Tired as he was, he assumed a tone of cheery energy.

"Don't you remember my resolutions?" he cried. "One of them is to get up early every morning and earn \$5 before breakfast."

"And he buttoned his collar again, drew on his coat and waistcoat and boots and went forth with reluctant steps into the gray light of the cold and dreary winter morning.

"But his wife, nestled in her warm bed, laughed a little cruelly before she went off to sleep again."—New York Sun.

Fire Starts Race Riot.

Few Americans have ever heard of Hodeidah, but it is the big city of the Arabian province of Yemen; and it gets into the news columns by having a conflagration that would do credit to a modern city of this country.

The fire was accompanied by a high wind, and when it burned itself out it had destroyed 1,200 houses and left over 6,000 Arabs homeless and destitute.

To add to the trouble, the native mind had been already inflamed by hearing of the Italian attack upon Tripoli, and all foreigners became at once objects of suspicion. It was only by good luck that the mob did not reach the point of killing all foreigners, since distinctions between races of infidel dogs are not easily made in Arabia.

Mind and Appearance.

Actresses are usually warm-hearted, sensible and cheerful. That is because they make the best of themselves in face and form. An old saying is true, "The face is often a reflex of the mind," and in a measure it is no less true that the mind is a reflex of the face.

..... POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

To The Voters of Orange And Osceola Counties

I hereby announce that I am a candidate for re-election as Senator from the 19th District, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary. I thank you sincerely for your support in the past, and if you approve my legislative record, I respectfully solicit your support again.

LOUIS C. MARRY.

For County School Board

Having served one term as a member of the County School Board I will be a candidate for re-election to the office from District No. 2.

D. L. THAYER.

For Constable

I hereby announce myself as candidate for re-election to the office of Constable of Justice of Peace District No. 3, which includes voting precincts Nos. 3, 4, 20 and 25, and solicit the support of voters at the coming Democratic primary April 30th, 1912.

R. C. WHITTEN.

For Justice of the Peace

The primary close at hand, and as no one has announced themselves for this office, of Justice of the Peace, my friends have prevailed on me to become a candidate in precincts No. 3, and 25, Orange County, subject to Democratic primary. If elected, will endeavor to fill the office with honesty and credit.

JOHN I. ANDERSON.

Justice of the Peace

I hereby announce that I will be a candidate for re-election to the office of Justice of the Peace of Precincts 3, 4, and 25, Orange County, subject to the decision of the Democratic Primary.

L. G. STRINGFELLOW.

For County Treasurer

To the Democratic Voters of Orange County: I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Treasurer. In asking your support in the coming primary election for this very important place, which is to be given to some one by the Democratic voters of this county, and if you can see your way clear to honor me with this place, I promise you that I will at all times and under all circumstances strictly guard your interests so far as lies in my power.

Yours very truly,
J. H. TUCKER.

I am a candidate for the office of Treasurer of Orange County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held April 30, 1912.

Your support will be appreciated.
PHILIP T. SHERMAN.

For Sheriff

James A. Kirkwood announces his candidacy for re-election to the office of Sheriff of Orange County subject to the decision of the Democratic primary to be held on April 30, 1912.

I am a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Orange County subject to the decision of the Democratic primary to be held April 30, 1912. Having served in the capacity of deputy sheriff of the county for a number of years and being familiar with the duties of the same I feel that I can leave the question of my ability entirely to the voters of Orange County.

CHAS. M. HAND.

I wish to announce to the voters of Orange County, that I will be a candidate for the office of Sheriff for the said county, subject to the primary to be held April 30th, 1912. And pledge myself to carry out the law without fear or favor to any one, and special privileges to none, I respectfully ask your support.

Respectfully,
FRANCIS KABEL.

For Tax Assessor

I announce my candidacy for re-election to the office of Tax Assessor of Orange County subject to the decision of the Democratic primary to be held on April 30th, 1912.

ARTHUR BUTT.

For County Solicitor

To the Democratic Voters of Orange County: I hereby announce my candidacy for re-appointment to the office of county solicitor of Orange County, subject to the coming Democratic primaries. Should I be so fortunate as to secure recommendation for re-appointment for another term of office, it will be my earnest endeavor at all times to perform the duties incumbent upon me, faithfully and fearlessly to the best of my ability.

Geo. A. DeCOTTE,
County Solicitor.

To the Democratic Voters of Orange County: I hereby announce that I am a candidate for the office of County Solicitor, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, and respectfully ask for your support.

W. E. SHINE.

For Tax Collector

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of Tax Collector of Orange County, subject to the Democratic Primary. If elected I pledge to you my faithful service as I have endeavored to give in the past.

W. E. MARTIN.

For State Attorney

To the Democratic Voters of the Seventh Judicial Circuit of Florida: I hereby announce that I am a candidate for re-appointment as State Attorney for the Seventh Judicial Circuit of Florida, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries in April, 1912.

You have honored me with this office and I have endeavored to deserve your confidence in me by doing my duty to the best of my ability. If reappointed, I pledge you to do all in my power to uphold law and order in our circuit, with prejudice to none and with fairness to all.

Thanking you for past kindness, I respectfully ask your support again.

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I feel that I am peculiarly fitted for this office by educational qualification, and by experience in management of small and large schools, and in dealing with teachers, by natural temperament and love for the work and by familiarity with the details and the general demands of the office acquired during my present incumbency. If elected to the office the educational interests of the county will be upon my heart, and I will endeavor in every way to be faithful to the trust imposed.

J. F. MCKENNON.

For County Judge

I hereby announce my candidacy for re-election to the position of County Judge of Orange County, subject to the decision of the Democratic primary to be held on April 30, 1912.

WILLIAM MARTIN.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for re-appointment to the office of Judge of the Criminal Court of Record subject to the action of the Democratic Primary.

T. FLETCHER WARLOW.

For Clerk Circuit Court

I announce my candidacy for the position of Clerk of the Circuit Court of Orange County, subject to the decision of the Democratic primary to be held on April 30, 1912. Having served the county in this capacity for a number of years I again ask for the suffrage of the people. My past record is my best recommendation.

B. M. ROBINSON.

For State Legislature

I will be a candidate for re-election to the State Legislature from Orange County, subject to the decision of the Democratic primary held April 30th. Having served the people of the county for one term in this office gives me the benefit of experience as a legislator and the knowledge acquired by this service gives me a better opportunity to work for my constituency during another term in the Legislature.

FORREST LAKE.

To the Democratic Voters of Orange County: I hereby announce that I am a candidate before the approaching primary for member of the Legislature from this county. If elected I will represent you ably and honestly and will endeavor to return to you a record that will meet with your hearty approval.

Respectfully,
GEORGE FOX, JR.

For Representative in the Legislature of the state of Florida, for Orange County.

SAMUEL A. ROBINSON.

For County Commissioner

I will be a candidate for re-election to the office of County Commissioner of Orange County, subject to the decision of the Democratic Primary held April 30th, 1912.

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HIS PHENOMENAL GIRL

SHE UNDOUBTEDLY WAS ONE OF THE SMARTEST EVER.

But Somehow the Father Failed Miserably in His Attempt to Convince the Man With the Square Jaw About Her.

A man with a Muttandjeff face and watery blue eyes boarded a car the other morning along with a tall man with a wide jaw and square-toed shoes.

"Well, sir," said the man with the Muttandjeff face as soon as they were seated, "that little girl of mine is certainly the greatest."

"For my part," interrupted the firm-jawed man, "I think about half the members of congress could be arrested for taking money under false pretenses. They don't do a lick of work—just show up often enough to draw their pay. It's an outrage."

The man with the comic-picture countenance looked puzzled.

"I guess you didn't quite understand me," he said after a brief pause. "I was going to tell you a funny thing that little girl of mine said this—"

"Blamed if there ain't another tree that was blown over in the last big storm," remarked the strong-faced passenger calmly.

"Eyes," replied the man with the watery blue eyes. "Well, this little girl of mine is the brightest—"

"On thing about that recent tariff session of congress," cut in the firm-jawed man, "that pleased me is the fact that business kept going right ahead just as if nothing out of the ordinary was happening. They can muss around with the tariff all they've a mind to down at Washington, but people seem to be going right ahead turning out finished products and disposing of them at the old stand."

"Well, when she came down to the breakfast table this morning," pursued the parent of the phenomenal young one, she looked at the buckwheat cakes on the table and—"

"Say now you're talking," said the square-jawed man. "A lot of people quit eating buckwheat cakes when the warm weather comes along, but I eat 'em well into the summer. I'm crazy about buckwheat cakes. What kind do you have at your house—the old-fashioned buckwheat or the new-fangled 'raising kind'?"

"Whichever I don't know what kind you usually buy. Anyhow, as soon as my little girl saw the buckwheat cakes she—"

"Pretty hard to get anything as good as the old-fashioned things. Same way with maple syrup. The kind they have in the groceries may be on the level and all that, but give me the sort my uncle used to bring in to us from his farm when I was a kid. It'd be as thick as crude oil and with a flavor that was absolutely the best ever."

"The?" weakly inquired the father of the extraordinary little girl.

"Well, she looked at those cakes solemnly for a minute, and then she looked first at her mother and then at me, and then she pointed at the cakes, and—"

"Speaking of pointing, I had a pointer dog on me a week before last that I wouldn't have taken \$200 for. Just got him last fall, and he was as good a dog to take hunting as I ever saw. Just broke me all up when I found him dead."

"But see here," said the man with the weak eyes, "I wasn't saying any thing about—"

"Well, here's where I get off," said the larger man. "Glad to've seen you. Take care of yourself." And he hurried to the front end of the car to alight.

"Any man," he growled, as he walked across the street, "who thinks he can bore me all the way downtown with tales of the scintillating brilliance of his offspring when I want to look over my morning paper has got to run up from behind when I'm not looking and blind and gag me, and even then he'd find me pretty hard to handle."

London Puts Faith in Cats. London still depends upon its army of cats to handle the rats among the ships that come up the Thames. The port of London authority has made known its estimate for cats' milk for the year. The appropriation is for \$4,000.

Good in Skyscrapers. "These skyscrapers are a great convenience," said the man who is engaged in business. "In what way?" "When your doctor orders you to a higher altitude, all you have to do is to take the elevator."

California Trees for Egypt. Fruit trees from California will be planted in Egypt by an English company which has secured a large tract of land with a view to engaging in the fruit-growing industry on an extensive scale.

They Were "Ulys" and "Mrs. G."

Mrs. Grant had no secretary to attend to her correspondence. The great bulk of which was referred to the office for action. She used to receive an enormous number of appeals for help, for charities, for assistance. In aid of almost every cause that could be imagined. Being a warm-hearted sympathetic woman, some of these appeals made a strong impression upon her. I can remember several instances when Mrs. Grant requested her husband to give this person or that a position that was asked for, or to accede to some other request of like nature. She always called the president "Ulys" and excepting upon the most formal occasions, he always addressed her as Mrs. G. Both the president and his wife were plain people, simple in their tastes to an extent that would cause surprise to day when everything has so changed throughout the social fabric of the entire nation—W. H. Cook in "Memories of the White House"

Reached by Telephone Number. A man in the island of Capri did not know the address of his friend in New York, but he knew his telephone number to be 7890-R East New York. So he sent a registered package to this address and it was promptly delivered.

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Primary Election Call

Notice is hereby given that the primary election will be held on the 20th day of April, A. D. 1912, in each county to be chosen by the democratic voters of each county respectively. The rules governing the State Primary election as promulgated by the Democratic State Committee shall control in the primary election of a committee for Congress where applicable and not inconsistent with specific requirements of this committee. Any white democratic possessing the necessary legal qualifications for Representatives in the Congress of the United States from said district may become a candidate for the nomination in said primary election by filing with the chairman of this committee, viz: Hon. G. I. Baltzell at Fernandina, Florida on or before the 15th day of March, A. D. 1912, a written statement as required by law of his purpose to be so nominated and shall be accompanied with three hundred and seventy-five dollars as an assessment to and in defrayment of expenses of holding said primary election. Candidates for membership on the Congressional Committee shall not be required to pay any assessment, and shall make their application for place on the ballot to the respective County Committees. This Committee will advise the returns of such election and declare the result and will in due season issue instructions and promulgate rules thereon. Under and done under and in virtue of the power herein under the law and rules of the Committee this 23rd day of January, 1912. Chairman Campaign Committee of Dem. Cong. Com. 2nd Cong. Dist. of Florida. JESS BERRY, Secy. April 10th, 1912.

Notice of Intention to Apply for Letters Patent

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will apply to the Registrar of the State of Florida at Tallahassee on the 20th day of March, A. D. 1912, for letters patent in connection with the Florida Fruit and Vegetable Company, under the following proposed charter given this 2nd day of February, 1912. The undersigned associate themselves and become incorporated in pursuance of the laws of Florida with the Florida Fruit and Vegetable Company. The name of the corporation shall be Florida Fruit and Vegetable Company, with its principal place of business at Tallahassee, Florida, and with such other places of business in Florida and elsewhere as may be located from time to time. The general nature of the business proposed to be transacted is as follows: The corporation shall and dealing in wholesale and retail collection, distribution and delivery of goods, and by products of same, soft drinks, soda fountain supplies, and all the supplies pertaining to the aforementioned business, to establish and equip restaurants and do a general catering business in all as long as to buy, sell, mortgage, lease, hold, real estate, stocks, bonds, and debentures, to borrow money on securities held by the corporation and to loan money on securities of owners thereof. The amount of capital stock of this corporation shall be Twenty Five Thousand Dollars (\$25,000) divided into Twenty Five Hundred (250) shares of the par value of Ten Dollars (\$10) per share. All or any part of the capital stock may be issued fully paid and non-assessable, but shall not be held by the board of directors. This corporation shall exist perpetually. The business of this corporation shall be managed by a president and vice president, secretary and treasurer. There shall be no less than three nor more than fifteen directors. The officers may be held by the same person. The first annual meeting of this corporation for the election of officers and such other business as may come before the board shall be held on the 20th day of March, 1912. The officers shall continue to conduct the affairs of this corporation until their successors are elected and qualified are. James C. Barnhart, President; Edward J. Smith, Secretary; Fern A. Ryerson, Vice President; James M. Croshaw, Treasurer. Who are also to act as temporary directors. The highest amount of indebtedness to which this corporation shall subject itself shall not exceed the amount of its capital stock. The names of the subscribers and the number of shares subscribed by them are as follows: James C. Barnhart, 100 Shares; Edward J. Smith, 100 Shares; Fern A. Ryerson, 100 Shares; and James M. Croshaw, 50 Shares. All of Jacksonville, Duval County, Florida. Witness our hands and seals this 2nd day of Feb. 1912. (Seal) G. D. Suggs, Notary. My commission expires Jan. 15th 1916. Feb. 20th 1912.

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In Society

Miss Irene Brady came over from Stetson University Friday afternoon, and enjoyed a short visit, with the home folks; returning Sunday afternoon.

Light Housekeepers, Take Notice

The Ladies of the Missionary Society of the Congregational church will have a sale of jellies, cooked food, vegetables, etc., at Crippen's Music Store, next Saturday, March 23rd., to which the attention of Sanford's house housekeepers is directed. Visitors in the city who are doing light housekeeping, will find at this sale just the articles that they want.

Missionary Society

The Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church held their regular meeting, at the residence of Mrs. Henry McLaulin; Friday evening. The topic considered was Mexico. The members of the society are perfecting their arrangements to entertain the delegates from the various societies, composing the Presbyterian Missionary Union, of the St. John's Presbytery, which will meet with the Sanford society March 28th., and will continue in session three days. About forty delegates are expected. After the business of the meeting had been concluded, the election of officers took place. All those holding the various offices have given such eminent satisfaction, that they were all unanimously re-elected.

Birthday Dinner

Another milestone, on the journey of life, was most charmingly noted, for W. J. Hill by a delightful birthday dinner, with which Mrs. Hill surprised him Friday evening; on the occasion of his seventieth birthday.

The pleasant home party, and invited guests, who enjoyed the delicious four-course dinner served as only Mrs. Hill can serve a dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Hill, their daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Newman, Billie Hill and little Olive Newman, Mr. E. W. Styles, Mrs. Hill's brother, and his wife, Mrs. W. W. Long; Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Thrasher, Dr. and Mrs. Samuel Puleston.

After the dinner had been enjoyed, the party spent a pleasant evening together, delightfully entertained by the instrumental music and songs, charmingly rendered by Miss Stumon and Clarence Mahoney.

Every Week Bridge Club

Mrs. W. D. Holden was the charming hostess of the Every Week Bridge Club Friday afternoon. The decorations were green and white, suggestive of St. Patrick's Day. The tally cards were green, decorated with tiny green flags. Three tables of bridge were played. The first prize, a silver spoon, was won by Mrs. Lawrence, who made the highest score. Mrs. Cruse Barnes received the booby prize, a hand embroidered linen towel.

After the conclusion of the games of cards delicious ice cream and cake were served, with bonbons in little opera hats, decorated with green ribbon bands with bows and miniature pipes on the crowns.

Mrs. Holden's guests were Mrs. Lawrence, Mrs. C. O. McLaughlin, Mrs. O. W. Brady, Mrs. R. L. Hughes, Mrs. H. P. Driver, Mrs. C. M. Vorce, Mrs. C. E. Bell, Mrs. Cruse Barnes, Mrs. R. J. Holly, Miss Wilson, Miss Faddy, Miss Nell Whitner.

The DeKoven Male Quartet Company

The last number on the Lyceum Course will be given Thursday evening, March 21st, at 8:30 p. m., in Auditorium of the Sanford High School.

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Seats on sale at Thrasher's store, Wednesday and Thursday. All seats reserved.

The Clover Club

The young women of the Congregational church have organized themselves into an auxiliary to the Missionary Society of that church; which they have named The Clover Club. The main object of this organization is to assist Mr. Fred Ensminger in his work among the Cubans in West Tampa. Incidentally, they are helping to furnish the Pariah room at the parsonage. The club was charmingly entertained by



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The dinner consisted of:
Soup, (a stick of macaroni).
Meat, (duck and a pig).
Relish, (a ripe olive).
Vegetable, (beet, turnip, potato, celery).
Dessert, (orange, nut and banana).
(purie of cheese).

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